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Università degli Studi di Milano-Bicocca, Dipartimento di Psicologia, Professore Ordinario (Full
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Education

University of Milan, Ph.D., 1996, Philosophy of Language
Diplôme d'Études Supérieures en Linguistique
University of Milan, B.A., 1991, Philosophy

Former positions and international research experience

Università degli Studi di Milano-Bicocca, Dipartimento di Psicologia, Professore Ordinario (Full
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Università degli Studi di Milano-Bicocca, Dipartimento di Psicologia, Professore Associato (Associate
Professor), 2002- 2007.

Tokyo University, Visiting Scientist, Fall 2003.

Università degli Studi di Milano-Bicocca, Dipartimento di Psicologia, Ricercatore (Assistant Professor),
2001- 2002.

UCLA (University of California at Los Angeles), Visiting Professor, Spring Term 2000.

Università degli Studi di Siena, Dipartimento di Filosofia e Scienze Sociali, Research Fellowship, 1998-
2001.

Japan Society for the Promotion of Science, Kanda University of International Study, Post-doc fellowship,
1997–1998.

Istituto S. Raffaele, Milan, Department of Cognitive Science, Research fellowship, 1995-1997.

Fulbright Visiting Scholar, Harvard University, Department of Linguistics, 1995.

Academic governance

Member of Comité national de la recherche scientifique , Section Sciences du langage, CNRS 2016-2020.

Member of the committee who wrote the new Statute of Milan-Bicocca University, in application of law n° 240/2010, which reformed the national university system (December 2011-October 2012).

Elected member of Consiglio di Amministrazione (“Board of Directors”) of University of Milan-Bicocca (2003-2006).

Coordination of research grants

Head of Working Package 2 of the Horizon 2020 project SIGN-HUB (“The Sign Hub: preserving, researching and fostering the linguistic, historical and cultural heritage of European Deaf signing communities with an integral resource”), 2016-2020.

Head of the Milan-Bicocca Unit of PRIN (Programma di ricerca di rilevante interesse nazionale) project N. 20128YAFKB, “Theory, Experimentation, Applications: Long distance dependencies in forms of linguistic diversity”, 2013-2015.

Vice-Chair of SignGram COST Action IS1006 ,“Unraveling the grammars of European sign languages: pathways to full citizenship of deaf signers and to the protection of their linguistic heritage”, 2011-2015.

Head of the Milan-Bicocca Unit of PRIN (Programma di ricerca di rilevante interesse nazionale) project N. 2007XFL8NK, “Dimensions of variation in Italian Sign Language”, 2008-2010.

Activities for national and international agencies of evaluation

Member of Section 34 (‘Sciences du langage’) of Comité national de la recherche scientifique, CNRS, (France, starting 2016).

Member of the evaluation committee HCRES (Haut Conseil de l'évaluation de la recherche et de l'enseignement supérieur) for the following laboratories: ATILF, CRLAO and Jean Nicod (France, 2016 and 2017).

Evaluator for ANVUR (Agenzia nazionale di valutazione del sistema universitario e della ricerca), (Italy 2016)

Evaluator of research projects for:

ERC (European Research Council), 2016

Israel Science Foundation, 2017

Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada, 2016

Croatian Science Foundation, 2019

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Papers: 155

Citations: 1832

Citations/year: 73.28

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Papers/author: 79.90

Authors/paper: 2.61/2.0/2 (mean/median/mode)

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Egghe g-index: 40

PoP hI,norm: 16
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- C. Cecchetto, *Grammatica e Sintassi della Forma Logica*, Rivista di Grammatica Generativa Monograph Series, Padova: Unipress, 1996.

Edited books

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- J. Quer & C. Cecchetto (2017), Section 2.1 ("The syntactic realization of argument structure"), Part 4 (Syntax), 338-366.
- J. Jónsson, C. Donati & C. Cecchetto (2017), Section 2.2 ("Grammatical functions"), Part 4 (Syntax), 366-375.
- Schröder, C. Cecchetto, J. Jónsson, C. Branchini (2017) Section 2.3 ("Word order"), Part 4 (Syntax), 375-390.

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- M. Kelepir, C. Cecchetto & M. Steinbach (2017), Section 3.5 (“Adverbial clauses”), Part 4 (Syntax), 459-485
- C. Cecchetto, M. Steinbach & M. Kelepir (2017), Chapter 14 (“The meaning of embedded clauses”), Part 6 (Semantics), 636-649.
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C. Cecchetto (2016) “The syntax of Sign Language and Universal Grammar”, in I. Roberts (ed.) *The Oxford Handbook of Universal grammar*, Oxford: Oxford University Press, 509-526.

C. Cecchetto & C. Donati (2016) “Relativization in Italian Sign Language: the missing link of relativization”, in R. Pfau, M. Steinbach & A. Herrmann (eds.) *A matter of complexity*, Mouton De Gruyter, 182-203.

C. Cecchetto & R. Oniga (2016) “Considerazioni sul fenomeno dell’ellissi verbale” in P. Puccetti (ed.) *Latinitatis Rationes*, Mouton De Gruyter, 189-199.

C. Cecchetto & C. Donati (2015) “Subject Intervention in Free Relatives” in Elisa Di Domenico, Cornelia Hamann, Simona Matteini (eds.) *Structures, Strategies and Beyond*, John Benjamins. 369-391.

C. Cecchetto & C. Donati. (2015) “Don’t move that remnant too much!”, in G. Grewendorf (ed.) *Remnant Movement*, Mouton De Gruyter, 180-200.

C. Branchini, C. Cecchetto & I. Chiari (2014). “La lingua dei segni italiana”. In Gabriele Iannàccaro (ed.) *La linguistica italiana all’alba del terzo millennio (1997-2010)*, 371-406, Roma: Bulzoni.

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